PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q81213

Tadahiro TSUJIMOTO

Appln. No.: 10/830,096

Group Art Unit: 1795

Confirmation No.: 7536

Examiner: Geraldina VISCONTI

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For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING FILM FROM POLYMER

SOLUTION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 9, 2007 to February 11, 2008, February 9, 2008 being a Saturday.

The statutory fee of \$1,050.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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